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Electronic bids will be received by the Otay Water District (District) for the **Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) Project (CIP P2682)** through an online bid solicitation website, Periscope S2G (formerly BidSync), until **4:00 PM local time, on Monday, November 21, 2022** and at that time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud **via an online Zoom video conference** (see Bid Document Specifications, Section 00030, Invitation to Bid, for Zoom link). In-person attendance of the bid opening will not be permitted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The general scope of work includes the installation of Master Meter Allegro AMI equipment including base stations, antennas, folding towers, equipment cabinets and associated conduits, wiring, clamps and all other equipment in accordance with the contract documents. **The engineer's estimate is \$280,500.00**.

This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)]. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held at 9:00 A.M. local time on Thursday, November 10, 2022 via Zoom video online conference (see Bid Document Specifications, Section 00030, Invitation to Bid, for Zoom link). In-person attendance of the pre-bid meeting or bid opening will not be permitted due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The District is using Periscope S2G (formerly BidSync), an online bid solicitation website, for electronic distribution of Bid Documents. Bidders must register online with Periscope S2G at https://www.periscopeholdings.com/s2g to participate in this procurement. There is no cost associated with registering. All documents and information related to this procurement are on the Periscope S2G website under the bid name, "Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) Project (CIP P2682)." Once registered, bidders can view and download information regarding this procurement including the bid and contract documents, as well as submit questions related to the bid and contract documents. The District will only respond to questions submitted on Periscope S2G. A Vendor Viewed List, updated at least weekly, can be downloaded from the Otay Water District's website, Engineering Bids page at https://otaywater.gov/about-otay/bid-opportunities/engineering-bids/, under the "Outstanding Bids" tab.

Dated this 28th day of October 2022.

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